

URGENT CALL FOR AID

The Indian Territory Officers Powerless to Prevent Crime.

They Make Another Demand for United States Troops.

REQUEST REFERRED.

The Dawes Commission Will Recommend Radical Action.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—There is little or no doubt but congress, at its coming session, will take radical action concerning the lands of the five civilized tribes. Senator H. L. Dawes, A. L. McKennon and W. K. Elder, commissioners authorized to negotiate with the five tribes and if possible induce them to allot their lands in severalty, were engaged to-day in the preparation of their report and expect to submit it shortly to the secretary of the interior.

This report as has already been stated, will recommend territorial government for the five tribes, including the Osage. Part of the Chickasaw country and the Kiowa and Comanche country will, in all probability, be attached to Oklahoma and an effort made to secure a new state. The members of the commission and Secretary Smith as well as are confident that the continued depredations in the Territory will force congress to take some action.

Reports received by the commission yesterday show that lawlessness is on the increase. Agent Wisdom telephoned the commissioner from Muskogee as follows: "As I predicted would be the case, the Cook gang, estimated at fifteen strong, held up the north-bound train at 10 o'clock last night at Blackstone switch, five miles north of this place. They robbed all the passengers, getting considerable money and other property. Nobody was killed."

"The courts are utterly powerless to protect us in either life or property, and I see no end to the trouble unless the military intervene. I must again recommend that troops be sent here at once. Please refer this matter to the secretary of the interior, and, if need be, to the president. The utmost consternation prevails and people lawfully residing in the Territory are at the mercy of the bandits. In the last few days this gang has committed rape, murder and every sort of robbery, and the state of affairs is a shame and reproach to civilization."

The secretary of war, upon the advice of the attorney general, stated recently that he was not authorized to send troops to the territory, and it is said by interior department officials that Secretary Smith is powerless in the matter. The telegram, however, will be referred to secretary Lamont, so that he may understand the situation.

DEADLY CHOCTAW BEER.

That Drink Responsible for Much Trouble in the Indian Territory.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—The last report of Indian Agent Wisdom, made to the Indian office before Agent Wisdom took charge at Muskogee, Ind. Ter., throws considerable light upon the conditions in the territory, which have resulted in troubles such as the reign of terror caused by bands of robbers and marauders. He points out in the first place the necessity of the enlargement of the courts in the Indian territory, saying: "Since the act of March 1, 1889, establishing a federal court in the Indian territory, there has been no special legislation by congress extending its jurisdiction or increasing the number of judges."

As one of the evils to be eradicated, Mr. Wisdom points out land grabbing. The Indians are satisfied with a small tract of land, but those who have intermarried with Indian women have fenced in and appropriated to their use thousands of acres. The land is held in common. He says: "The Indians are reluctant to break up tribal relations and to assume the status of United States citizens with the attendant responsibilities. If I am not mistaken, however, the consensus of opinion among the Indians is that some change is inevitable, and that in the near future."

Mr. Wisdom has something to say about a beverage known as "Choctaw beer." He says: "Choctaw beer—a drink compounded of barley, hops, tobacco, fish berries and a small amount of alcohol—is manufactured without stint in many portions of the agency. It is certain that its sale is a fruitful source of evil, disorder and crime."

He advises legislation for the suppression of the traffic.

OKLAHOMA ELECTIONS.

Official Count Gives Delegate Flynn Nearly 7,000 Plurality.

GUTHRIE, Ok., Nov. 15.—Governor Renfrow and Attorney General Galbreith instructed all county boards who had refused to canvass the votes, owing to legal technicality, to do so, and the official returns are now in.

Flynn, Republican, for delegate to congress, has 4,100 over Beaumont, Populist, and 6,500 over Wisby, Democrat. The legislature will stand: House, twenty Republicans, four Populists, and two Democrats; council, ten Republicans, two Populists and one Democrat. The Democrats carried the county, Rogers Mills, and the Populists three, Payne, Cleveland and Pottawatomie. All the rest are solidly Republican.

Major Harkwick Dies.

LIBERTY, Mo., Nov. 15.—Major Samuel Harkwick, one of the best known lawyers in Missouri, was taken suddenly ill at his home, three miles south of the city, yesterday morning. His condition was dangerous all day, but he appeared some better last evening. The physicians ascribe his condition to overwork, and his symptoms of paralysis.

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THE NICARAGUA CANAL.

Many Senators and Representatives Favor Its Construction by Government Aid.

WASHINGTON, Md., Nov. 15.—The Manufacturers' Record publishes special letters from a large number of United States senators and congressmen, giving their views on whether the government should give financial aid to secure the early construction of the Nicaragua canal. The letters are probably about equally divided between Republicans and Democrats. Senator Sherman of Ohio writes he is thoroughly committed to the construction of the Nicaragua canal and emphasizes the report made to the senate in favor of government aid. Senator Walsh of Georgia, says the Nicaragua canal is the greatest enterprise now before the business world. He believes it should be built and controlled by the United States government; that it would open new markets for our products from the field, the mine and the factory, and would enable America to compete successfully with European nations for the trade of the Spanish-American countries and the countries of the Orient.

Hon. H. C. Lodge of Massachusetts, Hon. J. B. Gallinger of New Hampshire, Hon. William B. Allison of Iowa, Hon. C. H. Grosvenor of Ohio, Hon. George D. Wigg of Virginia, Hon. Alexander McDowell of Pennsylvania and Hon. W. Curtis of New York, also write in a similar spirit, each urging the paramount importance of the enterprise to the United States.

FRAUDS IN ST. LOUIS.

Judge Edmunds Calls the Grand Jury's Attention to Charges.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 15.—When the November grand jury met yesterday, Judge Edmunds of the criminal court delivered his charge, in which he especially directed the attention of that body to the allegations of bribery and wholesale frauds, which, it was publicly asserted, were committed during the recent election. The charges allege that there have been violations of law in the fraudulent registration of alleged voters; striking off the names of registered and qualified voters, and in the appointment of judges and clerks; that the judges and clerks in various precincts received fraudulent votes, rejected legal votes and made false and fraudulent returns of the votes cast; that voters were guilty of cheating, intimidating and other frauds, and that candidates for office were guilty of bribery and other violations of the law.

HIGHBINDER IN "FRISCO."

Three Thousand Thieves, Murderers, and Blackmailers Banded Together.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 15.—The police have obtained evidence of the existence of the lawless and strongly organized band of Chinese highbinders, 3,000 in number, residing in this city. This society is not only an organization of blackmailers, murderers and thieves, but also has for its purpose the overthrow of the present Tantar dynasty. Through the Chinese consulate diplomatic correspondence is now being carried on with the British government to the end that when the Chinese highbinders are deported from this city they will be turned over to the Chinese government at Hong Kong. If this is done it will mean certain death to the highbinders, as with such evidence against them as is now in the hands of the police the highbinders will be benighted without trial.

IVES LEADS SCHAEFER.

He Takes the Third Game of the Match With Perfect Ease.

New York, Nov. 15.—The third game of the great billiard match between Ives and Schaefer last night resulted in a second victory for Ives. The play was slow and cautious, little enthusiasm. The feature of the play was Schaefer's poor average. His work was a great disappointment.

Score: Ives—9, 157, 1, 6, 78, 31, 124, 67, 93, 2, 43—600. Grand total, 1,800. Last night's average, 54 6-11; highest run, 157.

Schaefer—29, 6, 23, 11, 9, 51, 0, 38, 53, 20—250. Grand total, 1,093. Last night's average, 24; highest run, 61.

Chicago Claims 2,000,000 Population.

CHICAGO, Nov. 15.—A banquet of the Two Million Club was held last night to celebrate the arrival of Chicago at the 2,000,000 mark in population. The club was formed some months since to boom the population toward the desired mark. Last night it declared the work finished as it estimates the number of people residing in Chicago at 2,000,000. Messages of regret were received from the governors of all the states in the union who had been invited to be present.

Half Fare for Clergymen.

CHICAGO, Nov. 15.—The lines of the Western Passenger association met yesterday and used up the entire day in considering the question of half fare permits for the coming year. After a long debate it was decided by a portion of the lines that all clergymen permanently located can have a permit on the improvement of the agent at the town where the clergyman may be residing.

Thousands View the Dead Car.

St. PETERSBURG, Nov. 15.—Throughout the whole day, with the exception of the members of the imperial family, who were attending religious services in the cathedral, there was an unceasing flow through the cathedral for the purpose of taking a last look at the face of the late czar. A number of candles around the altar lighted the features of the late autocrat.

A Remarkable Achievement in Mail-Road Carrying.

Was the running of the Exposition freight, the famous twenty hour train between Chicago and New York, via the Lake Shore route, in service during the World's fair. A handsome litho-water-color of this train may be secured by sending ten cents in silver to C. E. Wither, Western Passenger Agent, Chicago.

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IN PERFECT ACCORD.

Cleveland and Carlisle Have Had No Differences.

The President Makes Denial of a Current Report.

NO UNPLEASANTNESS.

Have Always Agreed as to Running the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—The attention of the president was called yesterday to the statement contained in certain newspapers to the effect there had been a disagreement between him and Mr. Carlisle in regard to the issue of bonds and other matters and intimating such a disagreement might result in the secretary's retirement from the cabinet.

The president emphatically denied the entire "batch of silly misstatements" and said: "Never since our association together has there been the slightest unpleasantness or difference concerning the affairs of the treasury department or any other matter. I have every reason to believe his attachment to me is as sincere and great as mine is for him. I should be much afflicted if any thing should cause him to entertain the thought of giving up his position where he is doing so much for his country. We have agreed exactly as to the issue of bonds and there has been no backwardness on his part on that subject. I see it is said I am formulating a financial scheme. If such a scheme is presented it will be the work of the secretary of the treasury and I shall endorse and support it."

"The trouble seems to be that those charged with the executive duties of the government do not appear willing at all times to take counsel with the newspapers and make public all they intend to do."

There is nothing sensational in the statement that Assistant Secretary Hamlin has been designated by the president to act for the coming six months as secretary of the treasury during the absence of Secretary Carlisle from the department. The designation of Mr. Hamlin to act as secretary is a continuation of a custom which has prevailed in the treasury department ever since Mr. Carlisle has been secretary. Each of the three assistants serve in this capacity for half a year in rotation and as the acting secretary signs all papers of a routine character, thus relieving the secretary from this enormous duty, the official designation is necessary under the law which requires certain specified papers shall be signed by the secretary or an acting secretary. The secretary does not contemplate leaving Washington, but much of his time for the next few weeks will be devoted to the preparation of his annual report.

A YOUNG GIRL'S CRIME.

Gertrude Stewart Poisoned a Family for Revenge and is Punished.

St. JOSEPH, Mo., Nov. 15.—Gertrude Stewart was last night sentenced to three years in the penitentiary by Judge Grubb of the criminal court.

Last May Miss Stewart was employed in the family of Officer W. C. Martin of the police force. A. J. Asbury was a guest at the Martin home for several days and while there missed a small amount of money from his room. Miss Stewart was accused of the theft and discharged. Prior to leaving the house she poured a quantity of corrosive sublimate into a coffee urn, and only the earnest work of physicians saved their lives.

Some of the members have not as yet entirely recovered from the effects of the poison.

Another Bold Robbery.

SALINA, Kan., Nov. 15.—Another bold robbery is reported near Sylvan Grove, the scene of Monday's bank robbery. Yesterday forenoon, while section men were at work on the railroad three miles west of Sylvan Grove, a band of six tough-looking men, heavily armed, came along and demanded them to deliver over their cash. The order was quickly complied with and 30 cents was taken by the toughs, after which they proceeded on their way. Whether they are connected with the McKee gang is unknown.

Sarah Will Be a Chevalier.

LONDON, Nov. 15.—A Paris dispatch to the Chronicle says it is announced that Sarah Bernhardt will be made a chevalier of the Legion of Honor.

FLORIDA.

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Commencing Sunday, November 18, 1894, the Memphis route, Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis R. R. will inaugurate a through sleeping car line, Kansas City to Jacksonville, via Memphis, Birmingham, Atlanta and Macon, arriving at Jacksonville at 9:45 a. m., making close connections there for all points in South Florida. The cars in this line will be strictly first class in all their appointments and will run every day of the week, leaving Kansas City at 10:30 a. m.

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MAIL TRANSPORTATION.

Report of the Second Assistant Postmaster General.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15.—Owing to the illness of Second Assistant Postmaster General Neilson, the report of his office is made by George F. Stone, who is acting in his stead. The report deals with that branch of the postal service which looks after mail transportation. For the star service it is shown that there are 19,375 routes, with an aggregate length of 251,587 miles and the total of miles traveled is 113,570,338, at an expense of \$5,846,836; an estimate for next year, \$5,875,000.

Consideration is being given to the feasibility of utilizing electric and other rapid motor street car lines to facilitate the transportation of mails in the important cities between the main post-offices and branch offices, and to and from the main station. A plan of this kind will be probable, including running a special car on the street lines for the exclusive use of the mail service, not only for carrying locked pouches, but in which a certain part of the distribution will be possible. Of course such an arrangement could be effected only by the hearty co-operation of the street car companies with the department for the improvement of the service. The office hopes to accomplish some such substantial result in the direction indicated within the next year.

The cost of railway mail street cars was \$3,212,357, and the estimate for next year, \$3,205,000. Railway post-office clerks cost \$6,878,194, and the estimate for next year, \$7,333,000. The total number of pieces of mail handled was 19,532,234,257, in which but 1,281,094 errors were made.

The foreign mail service cost \$1,239,362; estimate for next year, \$1,919,400.

BLOODY FEUD IN ARKANSAS.

Two Men Killed in a Fight Between Larue and Johns Families.

St. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 15.—A special from Van Buren, Ark., says: One of the most bloody battles fought here since the war occurred yesterday morning between the Larues and Johns and, as a result, John Johns is dead and Ben Larue has a Winchester ball through him and can not recover. The Johns are armed to the teeth and are pursuing the Larues, who are trying to get here to surrender. Deputy Sheriff Boyd, who arrested Bob Larue, was bushwhacked while trying to bring him in and had to retreat and jail him last night, after a hard day's circuitous route. They are all farmers in good circumstances and the killing was the result of an old feud.

OUTLAWS' FOUL CRIME.

Indian Territory Desperados Do Worse Than Commit Robbery.

GUTHRIE, Ok., Nov. 15.—A remnant of the Cook outlaw gang which had been run out of the Indian territory, held up a German emigrant named Beckley who was en route with his family from Wewoka to Tecumseh yesterday morning. The poor traveler was robbed of all his valuables, his eldest daughter was outraged and one of the horses unhitched from the wagon and ridden off.

Flare were four bandits in the party. Deputy marshals are in pursuit of the desperados.

Will Aid the Republicans.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 15.—Marion Butler, the president of the National Farmers' Alliance, who is slated to succeed Senator Ransom in the United States senate after March 4 next, is reported as having said he would vote with the Republicans in the organization of the next senate. If this is so the Republicans can count on both of North Carolina's votes in the organization of the senate, the other to be elected in January by the legislature to succeed Senator Ransom, who will be a Republican. Dr. J. J. Motias, ex-chairman of the Republican state committee, seems to be in the lead just now for that position. The present secretary of the senate, General W. R. Cox, is a North Carolinian.

Incendiaries at Mountain Home.

WEST PLAINS, Mo., Nov. 15.—Dan J. Casey's large mercantile store at Mountain Home, Ark., burned Monday night, causing a \$10,000 loss. Insurance \$3,500. The postoffice was in the building and nearly all the contents were destroyed. The fire was the work of incendiaries. The fine dwelling of A. H. Livingston, late Populist nominee for congress in this district, was destroyed by fire to-day. Loss fully covered by insurance. Fire was caused by defective flue.

The Iron Trae.

NEW YORK, Nov. 15.—The Iron Age says: Those who entertained somewhat sanguine views as to the immediate effect of the result of the elections upon business have been disappointed. Buyers have not jumped into the market and the volume of business has shown practically no increase. The feeling is better, but there are other considerations which outweigh that in shaping the new feature of the iron trade.

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